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DECISION ON PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97 FOR CONSIDERATION OF
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

The petition filed 3/17/01 ; 6/26/04 under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(d) for consideration of an information disclosure statement filed after ☐ Allowance ☒ Final has been:

☐ GRANTED.

☒ DENIED.

☐ It was filed after payment of the issue fee, see 37 C.F.R. §1.97(d)(2).

The petition lacks:

☒ The required fee under 37 C.F.R. §§1.97(d) and 1.17(i)(1).

☒ A proper certification as specified in 37 C.F.R. §§1.97(d) and 1.97(e).

The information disclosure statement has been placed of record in the file but will not be considered by the examiner.


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